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**BID OPENING SCHEDULED FOR TREASURE LAKE JOB CORPS CENTER SITE PREPARATION
IN OKLAHOMA**

Bids will be opened March 2 at Albuquerque, New Mexico, for preparation of the site of the Treasure Lake Job Corps Conservation Center to be constructed on the Wichita Mountains Wildlife Refuge in southwestern Oklahoma, the Department of the Interior has announced. The bid opening will be held at 2 p.m. in Room 3425 in the Federal Building.

The site preparation, estimated to cost \$65,000, will consist of constructing water supply and sewage systems. Total cost of developing the Center is estimated at \$380,000. The Job Corps facility will be six miles north of Indianola and will provide accommodations for 100 youths. Completion of the Center is expected by May 15.

The Treasure Lake Job Corps Conservation Center is one of five scheduled for National Wildlife Refuges this fiscal year. The other four are: Crab Orchard, Carterville, Illinois; Malheur, Burns, Oregon; Mingo, Puxico, Missouri; and Iroquois, Basco, New York. The Refuges are administered by Interior's Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.

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